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MICHAEL E. SCOTT

August 1, 2016

Mr. Thomas Raymond, PE S&ME, Inc. 3201 Spring Forest Road Raleigh, NC 27616

Re: Approval of Work Plan & Cost Estimate of Task Order 452RA-1 - Planning Meeting

Spring Hope Dump

South Walnut Street, Spring Hope, Nash County, NC 27882

ID# NONCD0000452

Dear Mr. Raymond:

The Division of Waste Management, Superfund Section, Pre-Regulatory Landfill Unit has reviewed S&ME's *July 27*, 2016 Work Plan & Cost Proposal for a planning meeting for Task Order 452RA-1. Based on that review, the work plan & the cost proposal in the amount of \$3,035.82 is approved. This letter serves as notification of that approval and as authorization to proceed with activities associated with that work plan.

While the total expense on the invoice cannot exceed the amount approved, individual task components within this task approval may vary. Any increase in cost to this scope of work must be approved prior to implementation. A task order addendum must be requested to cover an additional scope of work or unforeseen site circumstances. Notify me immediately and request additional funds to cover eligible and reasonable costs. Cost of additional work conducted without approval will be ineligible for payment.

Please let me know your pick(s) of field work, so I can send out our notices to the property owners adequately. Thanks for your help. If you have any question, please feel free to call me.

Sincerely,

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Zi-Qiang Chen, PhD, Environmental Engineer, II Division of Waste Management, NCDENR